8. Bharat wagon &Engg Co.Ltd

9. NTC (Tamilnadu & pondicherry) Ltd

10. Pawan Hans Ltd.

11. Braithwaite, Burn &Jessop Constn.Ltd

12 National Industrial Development Corpn Ltd

(c) The steps taken to encourage the Management of such public sector undertakings to achieve better performance are as under:-

(i) Productivity-linked incentive schemes for below Board level employees;

(ii) Consideration of performance weightages at the time of proposals relating to their upgradation to higher schedule.

(iii) Granting of higher scale of pay on personal basis to functional Directors/Chief Executives, etc.

(iv) Introduction of MOU Award in recognition of excellent performance by the public sector undertakings.

Scheme for Cultivation Of Waste Land By landless Poor

*787. DR.G.L.KANAUJIA:
SHRI BALRAJ PASSI:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to allot funds to the poor landless agricultural labours and small and marginal farmers for cultivation of wasteland;

(b) if so, the details of schemes in this regard; and

(c) the details of the proposal of the Union Government to introduce the 'Tree Patta' scheme in a big way to help the landless poor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI G.VENKAT SWAMY):(a) and (b). Government of India have a Centrally sponsored scheme of financial assistance of Rs.2500/-per hectare to assignees of ceiling surplus land, Scheduled Castes/Scheduled tribes allottees of Bhoodan and Government Wastelands and Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes whose alienated land has been restored.

(c) Guidelines were sent to all State and Union Territory Governments for adoption and implementation of Tree Patta Scheme for the betterment of rural poor.

[*Translation*]

Fertilizer Factory at Korba,M.P.

*788. SHRI BHAWANI LAL VERMA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the foundation stone for a chemical fertilizer factory at Korba in Madhya Pradesh was laid in the year 1972-73;

(b) if so, the expenditure incurred since then till June, 1991;

(c) whether the Union Government have since taken a decision to shelve the proposed project; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS(DR. CHINTA MOHAN):(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Rs. 23.22 Crores.

(c) Yes, Sir.